

A PROCESS FOR PRODUCING ALIPHATIC OLIGOCARBONATE DIOLS

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The present invention relates to a process for producing an aliphatic oligocarbonate diol comprising a) reacting an aliphatic diol with dimethyl carbonate at an elevated pressure in a reaction mixture, and b) subsequently removing unreacted methanol and dimethyl carbonate under a reduced pressure to uncaps the terminal OH groups.